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In re Application of:

YEUNG et al.

Application No. 10/070,531

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For: METHOD OF ANALYZING MULTIPLE
SAMPLES SIMULTANEOUSLY BY
DETECTING ABSORPTION AND
SYSTEMS FOR USE IN SUCH A METHOD

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Dear Ms. Stapor:

We thank you for your assistance in attempting to locate the file of the above-referenced patent application at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("the Office").

As we discussed, we are providing a complete copy of the undersigned attorney's record of the correspondence between the Office and the Applicant with respect to the patent application (37 C.F.R. § 1.251(a)(1)(i)).

The list of documents comprising the correspondence (37 C.F.R. § 1.251(a)(1)(ii)) follows:

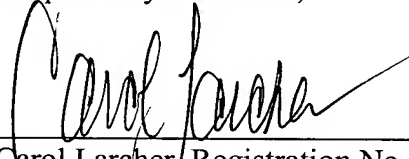
- 1) Applicants' transmittal letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (Form PTO-1390) with Certification under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 dated March 6, 2002.
- 2) Applicants' Application Data Sheet.
- 3) Applicants' International Application Published Under the Patent Cooperation Treaty No. WO 01/18528-A1.
- 4) Applicants' International Preliminary Examination Report with Annexes showing amended pages of specification and claims.
- 5) Applicants' Preliminary Amendment.

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- 6) Applicants' Amendments to Claims Made via Preliminary Amendment.
- 7) Applicants' Pending Claims After Entry of Preliminary Amendment.
- 8) Applicants' Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, Copy of International Search Report in prior International Application, and References.
- 9) The Office's official Filing Receipt.
- 10) The Office's Notification of Missing Requirements Under 37 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) dated May 29, 2002.
- 11) Applicants' transmittal letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (Form PTO-1390) with Certification under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 dated June 5, 2002.
- 12) Applicants' Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventors Edward S. Yeung and Xiaoyi Gong.
- 13) The Office's Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 C.F.R. 1.494 or 1.495 (Form PCT/DO/EO/903).
- 14) Applicants' Form PTO-1083 dated November 14, 2002 (in duplicate).
- 15) Applicants' Petition to Make Special Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.102 (a) and (d) with indications of transmission by facsimile transmission and the Office's acknowledgment of receipt thereof.

The undersigned attorney states that the enclosed copies comprise a complete and accurate copy of the applicants' record of all of the correspondence between the Office and the applicant for the above-identified patent application (37 C.F.R. § 1.251(a)(1)(iii)).

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